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DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.

DATES TO FEBRUARY 8.

Congressional

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8—In the House, Ward introduced a bill fixing the time for the election of representatives to Congress on the Tuesday after the first Monday in December of each alternate year, and providing for the registration of electors by inspectors appointed by the Secretary of the Interior, and also prescribing the mode of naturalization. Papers held by persons in cities of over twenty thousand people, issued since January 1, 1864, shall be surrendered within a year and new papers taken.

A number of bills were introduced and referred. Two Constitutional Amendments were offered; also, several memorials and resolutions of State Legislatures.

Julian introduced a joint resolution to prevent further sales of public lands, except as provided under the pre emption and homestead laws, regulating grants of lands to railroads, and limiting the sale of land to actual settlers to an amount no greater than a quarter-section. Hopkins moved to lay the joint resolution on the table. Lost by 33 to 133. The morning hour expired and the resolution went over till Monday next.

The business in order was Schenck's motion to suspend the rules and take up the Senate amendment to the copper tariff bill.

Spaulding, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported back the Senate amendment to the consular appropriation bill, which was made the special order for to-morrow. Schenck's motion to *suspend the rules was agreed to by* 118 to 48. When the Schenck amendments were read, Pike asked if Schenck would admit of discussion. Schenck declined and moved the previous question. Brooke moved to lay the bill on the table. Lost. The previous question was seconded and the amendment concurred in by 112 to 56.

The House went into a Committee of the Whole and resumed the consideration of the army appropriation bill. Several amendments were discussed, and without having made progress the House took a recess.

Petitions were presented for the repeal of the *franking privilege*.

Ellis introduced a bill to regulate and protect the fur trade in Seal Island, St. Paul, St. George and Alaska.

In the Senate, Sherman presented a petition for the recognition in the Constitution of Almighty God as the source of all civil authority.

Howard, from the Committee on the Pacific Railroad, reported adversely, and asked to be discharged from the further consideration of a large number of bills and memorials granting aid to the construction of railroads.

Wilson, from the Military Committee, reported adversely on the joint resolution grading the Lieutenant General, Admiral and Vice Admiral.

Wilson introduced a bill to establish a line of American steamers between the United States and Europe. It provides for setting apart an amount not to exceed $2,000,000 annually for ten years, from money received by the United States from ocean or inland postage and on foreign mails, for the payment of contracts to be made by the Postmaster General with citizens of the United States for the transportation of foreign mails on American steamers, numboring not less than two nor more than five departures monthly from New York, and two to four from Boston, to be of at least 2,800 tons register and of equal speed to the steamships of a similar class; to carry free all agents of the United States government and all *mail matter from the Postoffice* Department, but the United States shall receive postage therefrom, the Postmaster General to pay from a fund provided $2,000 for each round voyage, provided the amount derived from postage shall be sufficient; if not such sums as may be derived, and to apportion them ratably for each ship for each voyage. In time of war the Secretary of the Navy may take possession of any or all these steamers for the use and service of the United States, the owners to be paid compensation therefor by the United States and for any damage the vessels may sustain. Referred to the *Committee on Commerce*.

Edmunds' resolution relative to the counting of the vote of Georgia for President, was taken up, and after discussion passed—34 to 11.

The morning hour expired and brought up the consideration of the amendment, which was discussed by Saulsbury in opposition, and Frelinghuysen in favor.

Davis took the floor and announced his desire to speak several hours, when the Senate took a recess.

Important Decision of the Supreme Court—Washington News.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—In the Supreme Court to day, Chief Justice Chase delivered an opinion affirming the decision of the Supreme Court of Oregon that the taxes of that State must be paid *in gold and silver according to its laws*. The Court held that greenbacks are ample in satisfaction of contracts or agreements, but that taxes are of a different character from such obligations and it is competent for the State to designate the character of money in which taxes should be paid.

Jeffreys, one of the Supreme Judges of Mississippi, was presented to the Reconstruction Committee, proposing a plan for reconstruction.

1st. Congress shall declare all State offices vacant.

2d. To provide for the appointment of a provisional Governor.

3d. To provide for a modification of the obnoxious features of the Constitution.

4th. Provides for the election of State and county officers.

The President to-day nominated to the Senate W. D. Spaulding of Kentucky, as Consul to Vedo; Commodore Andrew A. Pollard, Rear Admiral on the retired list; Post Assistant paymaster Frailly and Assistant paymaster J. P. Loomis as paymasters in the Navy.

The confidential agent of San Domingo is still actively engaged in behalf of the annexation scheme.

The President, in compliance with the solicitation of friends of Mrs. Surratt, has ordered her remains to be disinterred and delivered to her relatives with the understanding that there is to be *no public demonstration whatever and that* the funeral services are to be privately conducted.

New York News.

NEW YORK, Feb. 8.—The employers of printers held a *meeting to day and resolved to continue* resistance to the strike of the book printers, and to employ female compositors.

The brig *Breitland*, from Cape Fear River, with rosin and turpentine, was lost in a storm January 28th. The second mate was drowned and the captain and crew rescued from the wreck and brought here by the steamer *European*.

A dinner was given here this evening to Eugene Casserly, Senator elect from California, by a number of personal and professional friends, irrespective of party politics. Charles O'Connor presided. Speeches were made by Daniel J. Tilton, Rev. Mr. Frothingham, J. W. Simonton, Rev. E. H. Chapin, Gen. Jno. Cochrane, Horace Greeley, Chas. A. Dana and others.

New York Markets

Pork Firm at $26@26 75 for new, mess, cash and regular; $23 50 seller, for March and April.

Beef Firm and in fair demand at prices unchanged. $9@14 50 for new plain mess, and $14@19 50 for extra mess.

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Railroad Accident

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 8.—An eastern bound passenger train, on the Missouri, Pacific Railroad ran through an open switch on Saturday night. The engine, baggage, express and smoking cars, were badly wrecked and the engineer fatally injured. Two other men were seriously hurt.

A Prodigal Returned

BALTIMORE, Md., Feb. 8.—John C. Breckinridge arrived in this city on Saturday, and is the guest of his brother in law, Roy. Dr. Bullock.

The lover of a prominent belle of the New Orleans *demi monde* had the temerity to drive out with a rival beauty, while he secretted the jealousy of the first named that she procured a buggy followed in pursuit and overtook the gay couple where upon the divinity bore leaped out of his buggy and ran for her life. The mate would, however, soon overtook him then springing to the ground she attacked him in a princely style. After pummeling him severely in the face with her diamond-ringed fingers the sweet maiden assisted him into her carriage, drove him home and procured for him a physician.

The Lincoln Assassination

CONFESSIONS OF TWO OF THE PRISONERS—STATEMENTS BY ARNOLD AND ATZEROD—THE CONFESSION OF THE CONSPIRATORS—JOHN H. SURRATT.

From the Baltimore American, Jan 15

Now that the trial of John Surratt for participation in the assassination of President Lincoln has been thrown out of court through the technicalities of the law, and he is announced as preparing for press a narrative of the whole transaction, it may serve a good purpose to give publicity to the following statement of Samuel B. Arnold, one of the prisoners at the Dry Tortugas made in Baltimore, voluntarily, four days after the assassination. We also give the confession of Atzerodt, made in his cell on the night before his execution. Both of these confessions we have in our possession in the handwriting of the prisoners, and they have hitherto not been made public under the expectation that they would be used in the trial of John Surratt. The confession of Arnold was made in the office of Marshal McPhail, on the 18th of April, 1865, immediately on his being brought to the city from Fortress Monroe. He sat down at a desk and voluntarily wrote it without any question. The confession of Atzerodt was made in his cell, at Washington, on the night before his execution. He asked for paper, and it is written with a lead pencil, the disconnected manner of it indicating the state of the prisoner's mind:

CONFESSION OF SAMUEL B. ARNOLD, MADE APRIL 18, 1865.

To whom it may concern

Know that I, Samuel B. Arnold, about the latter part of August or first part of September, 1864, was sent over by J. Wilkes Booth, who was a guest at Barnum's Hotel, in the City of Baltimore, Md., to call to see him. I had not seen J. Wilkes Booth since 1852, when we both were schoolmates at St. Timothy's Hall, President L. Van Bokelin then having said Hall as a place of tuition. His reception of me was warm. Calling for wine and cigars, we conversed a short time upon our former school boy days. We were interrupted by a knock *at the door, when Michael O'Laughlin* was ushered in. After a formal introduction, we sat sipping our wine, and all three smoked a cigar. During smoking, he having heard previously of my political feelings or sentiments, he spoke in glowing terms of the Confederacy and the number of surplus prisoners in the hands of the United States. Then ensued the proposition by J. Wilkes Booth, and which he (J. Wilkes Booth) thought could be accomplished, viz: of kidnapping President Lincoln, as he frequently went unguarded to the Soldiers' Home; and he thought he could be picked up, carried to Richmond, and his exchange produce the exchange for the President of all the prisoners in the Federal hands. He, J. Wilkes Booth, the originator of the scheme, asked if we would enter into it. After painting the chances of success in such glowing colors, we consented, viz Michael O'Laughlin and myself. We were bound not to divulge it to a living soul. I saw him once more in Baltimore, and then he (J. Wilkes Booth) left to arrange his business up North, first to New York, thence to the Oil Regions, and from there to Boston and finally to Canada. He was to be back in a month. I received a letter, which I destroyed, stating he was laid up with erysipelas in his arm, and as soon as he was able he would be with us. Months rolled round and he did not make his appearance until some time in January. In his trunk he had two *guns, cap cartridges, which were placed in the* gun-stocks—Spencer rifles I think they were called—revolvers, knives, belts, cartridge boxes, cartridges, caps, canteens—all fully fixed for service—which were to be used in case of pursuit, and two pair of handcuffs to handcuff the President. His trunk being so heavy, he gave the pistols, knives and handcuffs to Michael O'Laughlin and myself, to have shipped or bring to Washington. He then returned from Washington, to which place he had gone, bought a horse, harness and buggy-wagon, leave the team, etc., with us to drive on to Washington. We started from Baltimore *about twelve* to one o'clock, after having shipped the box containing the knives, handcuffs and pistols, arriving in Washington about seven or half past seven the same evening. We met him on the street as we were passing the theatre. We alighted, took a drink, and he told us of the theater plan slightly, saying he would wait until we put the horse way and then tell us more fully. He had previously, as I now remember, spoken of the chances at the theater if we could not succeed in the other plan at the Soldiers' Home. We went to the theater that night, he (J. Wilkes Booth) telling us about the different back entrances, and how feasible the plan was. He had rented a stable in the rear of the theater, having bought two horses down the country. One was in the stable behind the theatre, the other at livery. *Met him next day, went together to breakfast* with him. He was always pressed with business with a man unknown to us then, by the name of John Surratt; most of his (Booth's) time was spent with him. We were left entirely in the dark. Michael O'Laughlin and myself rented a room on D Street, No. 420, and obtained meals at the Franklin House, on the corner of D and Eighth streets. We thus lived for nearly two months, seeing him perhaps three or four times during the week, and, when seen, always but for a short time, having still pressing business always on hand, viz: to see John Surratt. Michael O'Laughlin and myself drove out occasionally; the horse liveried at Mr. Nailor's stable. We drove always (but once) in the city and Georgetown; the once excepted, across the Eastern Branch bridge, when we went upward of five miles, I suppose, and returned. This was the only time I ever went over the bridge. How often J. Wilkes Booth crossed I cannot state, but from his own words, often. Thus was Michael O'Laughlin's and my time spent for the most part—down at Rullman's Hotel (now Sinclair House,) on Pennsylvania Avenue and Louisiana Avenue, in drinking and amusements, with other Baltimoreans besides ourselves congregating there all of whom knew nothing of our business but that of selling oil stock. Oil stock was the blind for them as well as my family. During the latter *part of March, while standing on Bullman's porch*, between 11 and 12 o'clock P. M., a young man name unknown, as I cannot remember names—about five feet five or six inches high, thick set, long nose, sharp chin, wide cheeks, small eyes, (gray, I think) dark hair, and well dressed—color I don't remember—called Michael O'Laughlin aside, and said J. Wilkes Booth wished to see us at Gotier's saloon, on the avenue. I was then for the first time introduced to him, but forgot his name. We walked up together, Michael O'Laughlin, this unknown and myself were ushered into the presence of J. Wilkes Booth, who introduced *me to John Surratt, Atzerodt, alias* Port Tobacco, ——, *alias* Moseby, making in all seven persons. J. Wilkes Booth had sent word to Michael O'Laughlin to bring me up in a good humor. (Still always in the dark.) Then commenced the plan for seizing the President. Each had his part to perform. First I was to rush into the private box and seize the President, while Atzerodt and J. Wilkes Booth were to handcuff him and lower him on the stage, while ——Moseby was to catch him and hold him till we got down. Surratt and the unknown were to be on the other side of the Eastern Branch bridge to facilitate escape. It was afterwards changed to Moseby and Booth to catch him in the box and to lower him to me on the stage. O'Laughlin and the unknown were to put the lights out, and Surratt and Atzerodt, *alias Port Tobacco, to be on the other* side of the bridge. I was opposed to the whole proceeding, and said it could not be accomplished. However, which was an impossibility we could get him out of the house and to the bridge, we would be stopped by the sentinel. "Shoot the sentinel," said Booth. I said that would not do, for as an alarm was given, there the whole thing was up, and as for me, I wanted the shadow of a chance for escape and success. Michael O'Laughlin wanted to argue the same way, whereupon J. Wilkes Booth said: "You find fault with everything concerned about it." I said, no, that I wanted to have a chance, and I better let it have it that he could be the leader of the party, but not my executioner. Whereupon J. Wilkes Booth remarked, in a stern, commanding and angry voice: "Do you know you are liable to be shot? Remember your oath!" I still now persisted in objecting, and a scuffle ensued, when I was forcibly restrained by all. My objections dismissed, they set me down as having no further to go. I stand to defend myself. This, if I remember aright, was on a Friday, or may be a Thursday night, when I said: "Gentlemen, if this is not accomplished this week I leave, and withdraw from it." I stayed up to about one o'clock next morning, Friday morning, and then went to bed. I remained indoors till 12 when I arose and went to get my breakfast. Michael O'Laughlin and myself roomed together, both arose at the same time and were aware of a measure together. Went to bed that morning at about 3 o'clock. This day (or that) I met Booth early; we met about 7 or 8 o'clock. Booth spoke to me I spoke angrily the night of meeting, said I had been drinking. I told him no. I was in my sober senses, and knew every word I said. It was my wish that this week I withdraw. Next day the thing was to be accomplished on the Seventh street road, and failed on Sunday I started in Washington, and on Monday or Tuesday I returned to the city of Baltimore, and thence to Hookstown. J. Wilkes Booth in the meantime went to New York, and returned to Baltimore during the week, on Saturday, I think. He said he wished to see me on *very urgent business and my father sent for me.* I came from the country and he had gone to Washington, whereupon I wrote him a letter which was found in his trunk. The Richmond authorities, as far as I know, knew nothing of the conspiracy. The letter was written after my return to the country, after finding he could not want to see me in Baltimore. During the week I came to the city and met Michael O'Laughlin who asked me to go to Washington with him to finally arrange his affairs. I went in the morning—Friday, I think—and returned same evening home, having cut loose forever from it. On the next day I received a letter from J. W. Wharton, at Fortress Monroe, giving me employment. Went to the country, got my clothing, and on Saturday, the 1st day of April, left Baltimore for *Fortress Monroe, at which place I have remained*, never corresponding with Booth or seeing him from the above-named date to the present writing. The groundwork was to kidnap the President without violence. He never to me said that he would kill him. Further than this I know nothing, and am innocent of having taken any active part in the dark deed committed.

SAMUEL B. ARNOLD.

The plan of escape was to place Mr. Lincoln in the buggy purchased for that purpose, and cross Eastern Branch bridge. Surratt and Atzerodt, *alias* Port Tobacco, were to follow them to where *he had a boat concealed, turn the horse loose*, place the President in the boat, and cross the Potomac to the Virginia shore, and thence to make our way to Richmond. Surratt knew the route and was to act as pilot.

SAMUEL B. ARNOLD.

A box painted black, like unto a sword box, was sent by Booth from the hotel by the porter there to our room. The next day it was transferred in a wagon, O'Laughlin acting as pilot, to some place. I was not present. After giving the box to the driver went to Georgetown, and O'Laughlin had full charge of it. M. O'Laughlin said he took it *to Mr Heard's*, and from thence the unknown carried it home. Took the guns out and carried them to Pedee. This latter clause Booth told me.

SAMUEL B. ARNOLD.

Witness V. Randall, E. G. Horner.
BALTIMORE, April 18, 1865.

NOTE.—Besides this written statement of Arnold's, he verbally communicated the fact that Booth was the correspondent of Drs. Mudd, Garland and Queen. This fact was told the Secretary when I presented him Arnold's statement.

J. L. McPHAIL.

CONFESSION OF ATZERODT.

I had not seen John Surratt for about eight days before the murder. Booth told me a few days before the murder that he was in Washington. Kate Thompson *alias Brown came from* Richmond with John Surratt about the time that Richmond fell. He had come previously with Gustavus Howell, now in the Old Capitol Prison. Kate Thompson stopped at Mrs. Surrat's, and also at the National and Rinuel Hotels. This woman was about 21 years of age, spruce and neat, medium size, black eyes and fair complexion. She had a sister in New York, who was a widow. Surratt was made known to her in New York by a signal conveyed by a small switch with a waxed end and a piece of red ribbon on the butt, handled horizontally through the fingers. *This sign was given on a hotel pavement on* Broadway. He went with her South, and hired a horse at Howard's stable for the purpose.

Harold came to the Kirkwood House and left the knife, pistol and coat, on the evening of the murder, about 6.30 o'clock, as I was about leaving, I having told the clerk to tell whoever might call that I was gone out. This was before Harold came in. Harrold and I then went to the Herndon House, Mrs. Murray's, corner of Ninth and F streets. It was then about 8 o'clock, and I saw Booth, Wood and Payne in Wood's room. Here the proposed murder was first mentioned. I refused to take part in it, when Booth said, "Then we will do it, but what will become of you? You had better come along and get your horse." I then left them and went to the Oyster Bay on the avenue, and stayed sometime; then to the stable and got my horse and went up D street. This was about 10 o'clock. I called at the Rinnel House and got a drink. I saw none of the party after we separated about 9 o'clock that evening. I then went out C street toward the Baltimore depot; went between the old and new Capitol; came on the avenue again, and concluded to come back. I rode down the avenue and the cavalry were dashing by me. This was the first I heard of the murder. I then went up Eighth street, left the horse at the stables opposite the Franklin House, and then went to the Herndon House, and heard a little boy talking about the murder. I then took a car and went toward the Navy yard. This was about 11 o'clock, and I met two young men named Briscoe and Spates, with whom I had some talk. After walking some distance I took a car to the corner of Sixth street and Pennsylvania avenue. Here I met a man inquiring for a place to sleep. I took him around to the Rinnel House, and we retired to one room with six beds in it. I left early next morning and passed through Georgetown on my way to Montgomery county. No one left the hotel with me. I saw Mike O'Laughlin about a week before the President was killed. I never wanted O'Laughlin and Atzerodt to be seen. I met O'Laughlin once or twice at Suthard's, and a few times in the street. When we were at Murray's, on the night of the *murder, Harrold* said he had a letter *from a printer* to Andy Johnson. He said he was going to give it to him, and he wanted me to give him the key of my room, which I refused to do. Previous to the arrangement for the murder Booth heard that the President was to visit a camp. The coach was to be taken out Seventh street. Surratt was to jump on the box, as he was the best driver, and drive through Old Fenns to the Long Bridge. This was about the middle of March. O'Laughlin, Samuel Arnold, Payne, Surratt, Booth Atzerodt and Harold went to the Long Bridge with two carbines, and were to wait for us. They did *not until midnight, and returned to Washington* next morning. This failed. All was quiet then for some time. Booth went to New York, Arnold to Baltimore, O'Laughlin also, and Payne left for New York. After this, Howell brought a woman across the Potomac. Howell was made prisoner, and Surratt took her North, about a week before the murder. Booth told me that Surratt was to the Herndon House on the night of the murder, the 14th of April, we were there together at the Herndon House. Booth told me Surratt was to help at the box that he expected others in the box. Booth went from the Herndon House down North street. The words of Booth were, "I saw Surratt a few moments ago." As the parties appeared to be engaged at something that night, and were together, Booth *appointed me and Harrold to meet him* [illegible] Booth said have no revolvers. Harrold and I were to Penley son's saloon [illegible] Booth said he would disturb Mr. Lincoln. He left me to get to Booth's. I went to Oyster Bay, and there I met Harrold and Booth. Booth wanted to see me. He told me to [illegible] get my horse ready. I was to [illegible] Backwood House [illegible] have no recollection of hearing shots fired. I had nothing to say at and of the murder. One of the attempts was at the [illegible] gas was to be put out. [illegible

THE DISCOVERY OF AMERICA.—A German paper Professor Carl Neuman of Munich asserts has discovered from the Chinese annals that a company of Buddhist priests explored the continent of America six hundred years before Columbus. Deeply and thoroughly and intelligently the early Buddhist missionaries penetrating into the Aztec territory of the land of Fusang," so called from the Chinese name of the Mexican aloe.

In the city in 1861 there was in business a very intelligent Chinese merchant, named Ching Lee, who, even in this country, had quite a library of books in his native language. He also, in speaking of the Indian tribes of the north, said that he detected in use among them many Chinese words, and that he believed they were descended from the Chinese. In the old Chinese books he had read mention was made of two vessels having left his country and landed on this continent. He thought that these vessels landed somewhere in Oregon, where one of the vessels was broke and a number of them were finally left behind to form a settlement, the remaining vessel returning to China in the expectation that the Government would send out to the newly discovered land a fleet of vessels and full supplies for the settlement. When his vessel reached China there was some trouble or change in the Government, no other expedition was ever fitted out, and those left behind in the strange land were left to take care of themselves.—*Virginia City Enterprise.*

The Boston *Journal* says "We have lately heard this capital incident related, and can vouch for its authenticity. One day, when Miss Larcom happened to be on a visit to the family of John G. Whittier in Amesbury, an admirer of the Quaker poet, knocked at the door of the cottage to pay his respects to the man whose works had for so many years afforded him special delight. As usual on such occasions, Whittier sat silent, while the visitor poured out his tribute of admiration and thanks. 'The piece I like best of all your poems,' said the gentleman, 'is one, "Hannah Binding Shoes;" that seems to me very beautiful.' 'Yes,' rejoined Whittier immediately, 'that is *truly* a very beautiful piece, and I agree with you in all the praise you can bestow upon it.' The stranger looked surprised to hear the taciturn poet warm up at such a rate over one of his own poems, when Whittier added in his own sly and quiet manner: "But let me introduce you to the author of that poem, *Miss Lucy Larcom*, the lady sitting opposite you.'"

Our Georgia correspondent, in the letter we published yesterday, gave what, in spite of all drawbacks, we must regard as on the whole an encouraging picture of the prospects in that State. The cotton crop is good, the relations between whites and negroes friendly,—the former paying promptly on all their contracts for work, and the latter being satisfied with the results of their labor. "In no part of the world," says our correspondent, "is the corresponding class of laborers as prosperous, in a material sense as these negroes." This is rather strong language, but we hope that facts justify it. Politics seem to be, by general consent, discarded,—the general anxiety on all sides being to "go to work and make something."—*New York Post.*

The London *Review* is very hard on Mr. Reverdy Johnson for saying, at the recent banquet of the French Atlantic Telegraph Company, that "he was more sure that amicable relations would be maintained, whatever political changes took place in England or America, than he was of the sun shining upon London on the following day." This declaration the *Review* thinks "contained a piece of subtle irony touching our delightful climate." As it happened, the sun did not shine the next day, and very seldom does at this season.

A correspondent describes the famous author, Edmond About, as a "middle-aged gentleman, very fat, very sleepy looking, and very slow in his movements." This is not precisely the ideal picture cherished by the admirers of one of the ablest and confessedly one of the most brilliant of modern French authors.

Multnomah Lodge No. 13, I. O. G. T.—Holds Regular M[illegible] at 7½ o'clock on Saturday evenings of each week. All members in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.

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Portland Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F.—M[illegible] every Friday evening at 7 o'clock in Stark's building, third story, opposite Arrigoni's Hotel. Members of the order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.
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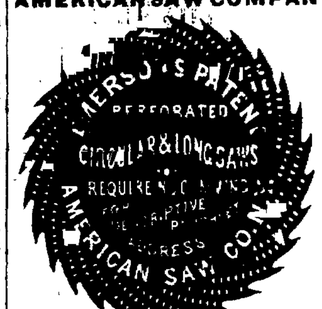

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—IN THE DISTRICT Court of the United States for the District of Oregon.—In the matter of H. M. Thatcher, Bankrupt.—Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by H. M. Thatcher, of Marion county, Oregon, in said District, duly declared a bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock, A. M., is assigned for the hearing of the same, before said Court, when and where creditors, and other persons in interest, may attend and show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

R. WILCOX,
Clerk of the U. S. District Court for Oregon.
December 21, 1868. d22dlaw3wTu

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—IN THE DISTRICT Court of the United States for the District of Oregon.—In the matter of Jacob Hodgate, Bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by Jacob Hodgate, of Bentone county, Oregon, in said District, duly declared a bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said Act, and that the 9th day of February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock, A. M., is assigned for the hearing of the same before said Court, when and where creditors of said bankrupt may attend and show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted, and that the second and third meetings of the creditors of the said bankrupt will be held upon the same day at the same hour before W. Lair Hill, Register in Bankruptcy for said District, at his office in the city of Portland, Oregon. R. WILCOX,
Clerk U. S. District Court, Oregon.
January 18th, 1869 j19dlaw3wTu

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.—DISTRICT COURT of the United States, District of Oregon.—In the matter of R. A. Sutherland, Bankrupt.—To the creditors of said bankrupt who have proved their debts and other persons in interest. Take notice that a petition has been filed in said court by R. A. Sutherland, of Portland, Oregon, in said district, duly declared a bankrupt under the act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act and that the 23d day of January, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M. is assigned for the hearing of the same, at the U. S. Court rooms in Portland, in said district, when and where you may attend and show cause, if any you have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

k WILCOX,
Clerk U. S. District Court for Oregon.
Dec 29, 1868 d30dlaw3wW

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon. In the matter of Linvill Bowers, bankrupt (in bankruptcy.) Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by Linvill Bowers of the county of Benton, State of Oregon, in said District, duly declared a bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2d, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof from all his debts and other claims provable under said act, and that the 6th day of February, A. D. 1869 at 10 o'clock, A. M., is assigned for the hearing of the same before said Court, when and where creditors of said Bankrupt may attend and show cause why the prayer of said petition should not be granted, and that the second and third meetings of the creditors of said Bankrupt will be held on the same day at the same hour, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said district, at his office in the city of Portland, Oregon.

Jan 19, 1868 R. WILCOX,
dlaw3wTu Clerk U. S. District Court of Oregon

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 16TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Isaiah Geer, of La Grand, in the county of Union and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, at his office in the city of Portland, Oregon, on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.

AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. j25d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 16TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Robert W. Cochran, of Lafayette, in the county of Union, and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition, and the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said Bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 26th day of Feb uary, 1869, at 10 o'clock A M

AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. j25d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 18TH day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, against the estate of James Cunningham, of the Dalles, Wasco county, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.

AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. j25d30t

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.—This is to give notice that on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of John Williams, of The Dalles, county of Wasco, and State of Oregon, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition, that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more Assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland, Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 25th day of February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy. j19d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 18TH day of January, 1869, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued out of the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, against the estate of Tobias Thomas of Portland, in the county of Multnomah, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition. That the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; and that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, in Portland, aforesaid, before W. Lair Hill, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy for said District, on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.

AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
By W. H. WEST, Deputy ja26d30d

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 12TH day of January, A. D. 1869 a warrant in bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of H. S. Allen, of Astoria, county of Clatsop, and State of Oregon, in said District, adjudged a Bankrupt upon his own petition, and the payment of any debts, and the delivery of any property belonging to said Bankrupt, to him or to his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said Bankrupt to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.

AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
Per W. H. WEST, Deputy. j14d30t

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE 12TH day of December, A. D. 1868, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of James B. Barlow of Portland, in the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition, that the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to him or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law, that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Hill & Mulkey, Portland Oregon, before W. Lair Hill, Register on the 26th day February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock A. M.

AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal, as Messenger.
Per W. H. WEST, Deputy j25d30t

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.—This is to give notice that on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1869, a warrant in Bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Solomon Beary, of Portland, Multnomah county and State of Oregon who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition, that the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt to him or for his use and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. That a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more Assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Hill & Mulkey's offices, before W. Lair Hill, Register, on the 25th day of February, A. D. 1869, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

AL. ZIEBER,
U. S. Marshal as Messenger.
Per W. H. West, Deputy j13d30

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No.
15142 From Fairfield, (n o) by Saint Louis, Waconda, Parkersville, Monitor, and Nerdy, to Oregon City, 26 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Fairfield Tuesday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Oregon City by 6 p m;
Leave Oregon City Wednesday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Fairfield by 6 p m.

15143 From Astoria, by Clatsop, Summer House, (n o) Elk Creek, (n o) Nehalem, (n o) Miami Point, (n o) Chilcher Point, (n o) and Netarch Landing, (n o) to Tillamook, 60 miles and back, once a week
Leave Astoria Tuesday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Tillamook next day by 6 p m;
Leave Tillamook Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Astoria next day by 6 p m.

15144 From Dallas, by Salt Creek and Hall's, (n o) to Grand Ronde, 20 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Dallas Tuesday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Grand Ronde by 12 m;
Leave Grand Ronde Tuesday at 2 p m;
Arrive at Dallas by 8 p m.

15145 From Portland, by Taylor's Ferry, (n o) Dayton, Amity, Rickreel, and Monmouth, to Corvallis, 80 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Portland Tuesday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Corvallis next day by 7 p m;
Leave Corvallis Thursday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Portland next day by 7 p m.

15146 From Centreville to Forest Grove, 6 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Centreville Monday at 10 a m;
Arrive at Forest Grove Monday by 12 m;
Leave Forest Grove Monday at 1 p m;
Arrive at Centreville by 3 p m.

15147 From Portland, by Hillsborough, Forest Grove, and West Chehalem, to Lafayette, 47 miles and back, twice a week.
Leave Portland Monday and Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Lafayette next days by 1 p m;
Leave Lafayette Tuesday and Friday at 2 p m;
Arrive at Portland next days by 8 p m.

15148 From Salem, by Lincoln, to Wheatland, 27 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Salem Wednesday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Wheatland by 5 p m;
Leave Wheatland Thursday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Salem by 5 p m.

15149 From Auburn, by Pocahontas, (n o) Riggsville, (n o) Birch Creek (n o) and Dealy's Station (n o) to Umatilla, with a branch to Granite Creek Mines, (n o) — miles and back, once a week.
Bidders to state distance, and propose a schedule of departures and arrivals.

15150 From The Dalles, by Simcoe, (n o) to Thorpe's, (n o) 30 miles and back, once a week.
Leave The Dalles Monday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Thorpe's Wednesday by 7 p m;
Leave Thorpe's Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at The Dalles Saturday by 7 p m.
Winter schedule six days.

15151 From Umatilla, by the county seat of Yakima County and the Snoqualme Pass, to Seattle, Washington Territory, 225 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Umatilla Monday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Seattle Sunday by 6 p m;
Leave Seatt e Monday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Umatilla Sunday by 6 p m.

15152 From Express Ranch, by Rye Valley, (n o) to Humboldt Basin, (n o) 18 miles and back, once a week
Leave Express Ranch Wednesday at 12 m;
Arrive at Humboldt Basin by 7 p m.
Leave Humboldt Basin Thursday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Express Ranch by 2 p m

15153 From The Dalles, by Rockland, (n o) Washington Territory, Block House, (n o) and Simcoe (n o) to Yakima, (n o) 90 miles and back, once a week.
Leave The Dalles Monday at 7 a m;
Arrive at Yakima Wednesday by 12 m;
Leave Yakima Thursday at 7 a m;
Arrive at The Dalles Saturday by 12 m.

15154 From Albany, by Boston Mills, (n o) to Brownsville 23 miles and back, once a week
Leave Albany Monday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Brownsville by 6 p m;
Leave Brownsville Tuesday at 8 a m,
Arrive at Albany by 6 p m.

15155 From Portland, by Bridgeport, (n o) and Chehalem Gap, (n o) to Dayton, 30 miles and back, once a week.
Leave Portland Wednesday at 6 a m;
Arrive at Dayton by 6 p m,
Leave Dayton Thursday at 6 a m,
Arrive at Portland by 6 p m.

15156 From Corvallis, by King's Valley, Philomath, Somer's (n o c) Summit, Hyptenuth a, (n o) Benton City, Little Elk, Luquns, Oysterville, (n o) Newton, and Toledo, to Newport, seventy miles and back, three times a week from May to November, and once a week the residue of year.
(Schedule May to November.)
Leave Corvallis Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8 a m;
Arrive at Newport next day by 6 p m,
Leave Newport Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 6 a m or at 6 p m,
Arrive at Corvallis Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday by 8 p m.
(November to May.)
Leave Corvallis Monday at 6 a m,
Arrive at Newport Wednesday by 6 p m;
Leave Newport Thursday after arrival,
Arrive at Corvallis Friday by 8 p m.

NOTES.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB. 10, 1869.

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Money Market.

San Francisco Legal Tender rates ... 74@75c
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IN THE COURTS.—Worship the following paragraphs from the Walla Walla *Statesman* of the 5th: Mr. H. Parker, left by Thursday's stage on a hurried trip to the Atlantic States, intending to return in time to take part in the spring campaign. The "oldest inhabitant" says he has never known such a mild winter in this Valley, or anywhere else outside the tropics. Indeed, so warm is the weather that already the buds on the trees begin to swell, and gardeners are busily at work in the gardens. During the whole winter we have not had a single cold day, and stock that has been running at large looks near as fat as well as it does in the month of summer. A young man named J. Carroll, just down from Florence, was taken sick, in the early part of the week, and from the symptoms was supposed to have the small pox. He was at once removed to the City Hospital, but after being there a day or two he reversed his health, and on Thursday morning left the Hospital perfectly well. We have here an illustration of how needlessly people become alarmed and rush from safety into danger. The unfortunate man named Joseph Farquar, who came to Walla Walla, after being exposed to the small pox contagion, died at an early hour, this (Friday) morning. His remains have been taken in charge by the city authorities, and will be buried in such a manner as to effectually prevent danger of communicating the disease. With the death of the man there is not a single case of small pox in town, and from the vigor displayed by the Mayor and Council we feel safe in saying that there is little danger of new cases arising.—Our friend Jacobson was in town a few days since, and reported the settlement of Wattsburg as flourishing. Since last fall no less than twelve new buildings have been put up, and still the sound of the saw and the hammer is heard in all directions. Surveys have been made, streets laid off, and the place is rapidly assuming the proportions of a thriving country town. The old school house having been found too small, has been sold, and a new school house is being built that is estimated to cost $3,000. The census of the town shows three stores, one first-class flouring mill, three blacksmith shops, one saloon, four carpenter shops, one hotel, and the usual accompanying establishments that go to make up a town.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Brooks, the special agent of the Post-office Department, has lately removed his office from the Court House to Knapp, Burrell & Co.'s building on the riverside, corner of Front and Alder, where we found him yesterday occupying very comfortable quarters. In answer to our inquiry for a news item, he referred us to his memorandum book, from which we learned the following, not heretofore published, concerning new post offices, offices discontinued, and appointments of postmasters since November last.

New offices—Port Orchard, W. T., Nicholas Hale Postmaster; North Powder, Union county, Oregon, Joseph Austin, Postmaster; Beaver, Clackamas county, J. R. Graham; Mollalla, Clackamas county, Harrison Wright; Dayville, Grant county, James N. Brackett.

Offices discontinued—Pleasant Valley, Baker county; Miami Prairie, W. T.; and Summit, Benton county.

Commissions forwarded to Postmasters—Wm. B. Clarke, Braceport, W. T., Wm. Haynes, Oakland, Oregon, Wilson Carl, Mountain House, Yamhill county, R. H. Duncan, Brownsville, Linn county, Bailey Dillard, Umatilla; Reuben Doty, Eola, Polk county, Wm. D. Gilliam, Dalles; John M. Bacon, Oregon City; George Drew, Oro, Owyhee; A. J. Sturtevant, Pilot Rock; Geo. J. Hogue, Bolsfort, W. T.; J. R. Spender, Newellsville, Marion county; Jas. M. Donnell, Emmettsville, Ada county, Idaho; Mrs. Charlotte A. Calkins, Oswego, office re-established Jan. 5th; John W. McGraw, Lincoln, Oregon; Wm. Campbell, Elk City, Idaho; Matthew L. Home, Sherwood Mills, W. T.; Ebenezer Dimmick, *Grant's Pass*, Jackson county; Ezra L. Hemmingway, Deschutes, Wasco county; Wm. H. Martin, Martin's Bluff, W. T., office re-established; Luther White, Diamond Hill, Oregon; Patrick Quinn, Pekin, Clarke county, W. T.; Ira S. Bennett, Kalama, Clarke county, W. T.

CIRCUIT COURT.—The February term of the Circuit Court, Judge R. P. Boise presiding, opened yesterday. The following are the proceedings had:

On Motion of Lansing Stout, Esq., Mr. Carl C. Brumbaugh was admitted to the bar of the Court, as an attorney and counselor at law.

Seth W. Eddy vs. Rachel H. Eddy; suit for divorce; default of defendant entered and cause referred to Sam. A. Moreland to take proofs. Logan, Shattuck and Killin for plaintiff.

Fred. Moarst vs. Christina Moarst; suit for divorce; default of defendant entered and cause referred as above.

John Teel vs. W. G. H. Welsh; dismissed at cost of plaintiff. Bronaugh and Bybee for plaintiff; Logan, Shattuck and Killin for defendant.

J. O. Jamison vs. J. C. Conglo; dismissed at cost of defendant. Whalley and Fechheimer for plaintiff; Page for defendant.

Marietta Hall vs. Joseph Hall; divorce granted. Logan, Shattuck and Killin for plaintiff.

The following were drawn from the general panel as grand jurors: J. C. Ainsworth, Fred. W. Jacob Fleschner, John A. Blanchard, Geo. F. Gi[illegible] H. Durheimer, P. J. McGowan, C. Deitsch.

Presiding Judge, R. P. Boise, discharged the jury at length and the jury retired [illegible] ready to perform their duties.

Chas. Hopkins and W. B. Cooper, were excused on account of sickness from further attendance at this term of Court. Adjourned until Monday morning at nine o'clock.

SALEM ITEMS.—We learn from the *Unionist* that last Saturday one of the main shafts in the woolen factory, was broken, which necessitated a stop at work until repaired. One hundred employees are thrown out of work when operations are suspended at this mill.... J. M. Garrison is the W. C. T. of Capital Lodge I. O. G. T. for the current term, and James Chambers the Secretary.....A weather record for January, kept by Mr. F. Pearce, shows that during the month there were nineteen rainy days, that is to say, the 1st to the 5th inclusive, 7th, 8th 10th, 11th, 14th, 22d to 28th, 30th and 31st. There was one cloudy day, viz: the 29th. The clear days were eleven in number—the 5th, 9th, 12th, 13th and 15th to 21st inclusive. The wind blew from the south twenty-one days, and from the north, ten days. During the clear days, with two exceptions, the wind blew from the north. The south wind brought rain with it. The highest mean temperature for the month was 48°, which was the 4th of the month, the lowest was 28°, on the 22d. The mean temperature for the whole month was 38°. The first of the month the mean temperature noted 36°, and the 31st was 41°. On the 8th there was a thunder shower, and on the hills a light snow on the 27th.

THE "WESTERN FARMER."—*It will be remembered* that at the last State Fair, the Board of Managers decided to start an agricultural newspaper to be under the control of the [illegible]. A committee appointed for the purpose have been since [illegible] the publication, and we learn that the first issue will appear on the 1st of May [illegible]. It will be an eight page paper, nearly as large as the *Orc[illegible] Agriculturist* and will be called *The Willamette Farmer*. John Minto, of Marion county, is to be the editor and A. L. Stinson, Publisher and Proprietor. Mr. Minto is intensely devoted to farming interests and he wields a ready pen. It is to be hoped that the new journal will receive better treatment at the hands of the agriculturists of the State than have any of its predecessors, in the same line.

A CONSIDERATE THIEF.—We are informed that the papers lately stolen from Mr. D. P. Thompson at Oregon City, have been returned to him; or, rather, they were left in his stable, *where he found them*. Among the returned articles were the checks and notes. The thief kept only the cash and greenbacks, not caring probably, to undertake the collection of the sums due on the papers. He certainly takes a practical, common-sense view of the matter and seems less careless than most rogues, about waste of property; he is willing that Mr. Thompson shall have such of it as he can't make conveniently available. No nonsense about that thief. Shouldn't wonder if he should yet return the greenbacks on account of their being below par.

CONCERT.—We learn that Oro Fino Theater has been engaged for a concert to be given next Tuesday evening by the daughters of Prof. Mercier, colored. These girls are the same who sang at the late Emancipation Celebration at the Court House, eliciting very general commendation from the audience. We have heard very good musical judges pronounce the singing of the elder girl, quite equal to that of any of the female singers of the city. The concert will have the attraction of novelty, at least, if it has no greater.

CHINESE NEW YEAR.—The sons and daughters—and for aught we know, the brothers and sisters, aunts and uncles and all the poor relations—of the Celestial Empire, were, yesterday, celebrating their New Year. Owing to our non-intimacy with that crowd, we are not able to state with the same precision as does one of our cotemporaries, the exact number of the anniversary; and after mature reflection we have arrived at the conclusion that it makes but little difference any way.

PORTLAND PHILHARMONIC SOCIETY.—At a recent election of officers of the above Society, the following gentlemen were elected to serve the ensuing year. President, S. J. McCormick; Vice President, P. C. Schuyler, Jr.; Secretary, E. Quackenbush; Directors, Wm. Wadhams, T. A. Davis, Dr. J. H. Hatch. We learn that the next Concert will be given on Friday evening, the 19th inst.

PASSENGERS FOR VICTORIA.—The following is the passenger list of the steamer *Active*, hence for Victoria, last evening. Mrs. Jacob Campbell, J. Collins, J. Oscklewin, A. Greene, H. C. Bond, E. S. Kearney, J. C. Drake, J. F. McCoy, Wm. Fried, F. B. Mason, [illegible] Draper, Miss Jane Moore, John Lawrence, L. Zegler, Miss P. Loone). Mary Straity, Felicita Valesquellor, and Edward Cassidy.

A COMPREHENSIVE SPECIALTY.—A colored Doctor advertises in one of our State exchanges that he has established himself in "the health of many a way," but his specialty is "the restoration of hair upon bald heads," etc. "Securing to them the pains consumption and all the other diseases that human flesh is heir to." We call that rather a broad guage specialty.

BOARD OF DELEGATES.—The lately elected members of the Board of Delegates will, in pursuance of the State law, meet at the Council Chamber to-morrow evening—the 2d Thursday in February—for the purpose of organizing the new Board by election of officers, committees, etc.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.—The County Commissioners are still sitting daily, being engaged in examining the reports and adjusting the accounts of road supervisors, etc. Up to yesterday very little business had been rendered, worthy of note.

MINSTRELS.—The Lafont & Ward troupe gave an excellent performance last evening, to about an average audience at Oro Fino Theater. These entertainments are about as much [illegible] anything of the sort ever presented here. The boys get off some new jokes last night and have others in store for their next appearance.

FREIGHT FOR VICTORIA.—The steamship *Active* sailed last evening for Victoria, with two tons produce and assorted freight, 240 of cattle and 140 head of sheep.

RAIN.—Very heavy rains have fallen within the last two or three days, flooding the streets in consequence of defective drains, and making things generally disagreeable.

NOT TRUE.—The report that Byron Z. Holmes had been attacked by small pox at Jacksonville is contradicted. A dispatch from him says he is all right.

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that it is "usurpation" for the people of this country to amend their Constitution in the way which that instrument itself prescribes. The generally received view is that the people are sovereign, and that they may change their Constitution in any particular as they may see fit. But this is not the Democratic idea. Their notion is that such amendments as they dislike are "usurpations." This, again, is the very argument they used against the abolition of slavery.

We have heretofore stated the commonsense view of this suffrage amendment. It is not needed so much to protect the rights of colored citizens in the North as to abate the opposition to negro suffrage in the South. Considered in itself it is a matter of very little moment whether those Northern States which now exclude their few colored citizens from the ballot box shall admit them to that privilege or not; but negroes vote in the South and cannot be deprived of the suffrage, and there will be attempts to deprive them of it until the whole question is settled by a guarantee of the right of colored citizens to vote in all the States. There are probably less than one hundred male negro citizens in Oregon over twenty-one years of age: and we have no idea that when they are admitted to the ballot box the State government will thereby be subverted and the foundations of society overturned. The suffrage amendment is needed to secure peace and political tranquility; and the country, knowing this, will adopt it.

REDUCING THE INTEREST.—The New Hampshire Republicans have passed a resolution to the effect that the Government ought to restore its currency to a sound basis and then fund the debt at a lower rate of interest than that now paid. The *Herald* notices this, and interprets it as a proposition to repudiate a portion of the interest! Such dullness is positively amazing. Every person of ordinary intelligence knows that the proposition to fund the debt at a lower rate of interest presupposes a new loan and the payment of the present bondholders for every dollar of their claims, principal and interest. If we make our credit better we may get a new loan at a reduced rate of interest, and this would have been impossible before now but for Democratic threats of repudiation.

"PLAYING OFF."—During the debate on the Sue Murphy claim, a Senator read a letter from Mary E. Austin, of Decatur, Alabama, in which the claimant a "loyalty" is thus exhibited: "I wish Senator Anthony would visit Decatur. The Union people and rebels could tell him about her [the claimant's] loyalty during the war. They could tell him of her devotion to the Southern Confederacy; how she urged every young man into the rebel army whom she had any influence over. Rebels, her laugh enough about her going to Washington and playing off on the Senators."

THE FRANKING PRIVILEGE. The House has done something towards reforming the abuses of the franking privilege. It has passed Farnsworth's bill prohibiting members of Congress and others entitled to the franking privilege from exercising said privilege otherwise than by his or her written autograph signature upon the matter franked. This does away with the business of stamping franks by machinery, which has recently been enlarged in to such a large extent. It is not probable that the Senate will act favorably on the bill.

J. P. Curtis of Lane county has received the appointment from the Senator from Lane to the State Agricultural College

feeble efforts to increase the items of the appropriation bills, after they leave the Committee, where they have been reduced to the lowest limit, &c. The sentiment for economy is strong and the responsibility of members is apparently felt more keenly now than for many years before."

The proposition for material reduction of the army is another evidence of the desire of Congress to cut off expenses in every possible way. During the last year nearly two-thirds of all the troops in the service have been employed against the Indians on the Plains; but the place which Sheridan has conquered with those tribes and their "unconditional surrender" promise to release several thousand soldiers from service in that quarter. They may therefore be mustered out as fast as their terms of service expire, and the army may thus be reduced and the regiments consolidated. A winter campaign with a large force, whereby the Indians have been more severely punished than ever before, has brought all the survivors to terms, and it is the opinion of prominent officers of the army that there will never be another serious Indian war.

The same desire to retrench and economize is manifested in the treatment of railroad subsidies. Instead of authorizing the issue of United States bonds as heretofore, the most that Congress will do is to consider a proposition that the Government shall guarantee the interest only on a limited amount of railroad bonds, which bonds are to be secured by first mortgage, the companies to be required to pay the interest and principal as they become due, to indemnify the United States for the guarantee of interest. This plan if adopted, will be the inauguration of a totally new policy, which, while it will not increase the public debt or require the issue of Government bonds, will so extend the aid of the Government as to insure the prosecution of our great railroad enterprises, without the danger of adding to the public burden or hazarding the public credit. But so general is the desire in Congress to avoid all further embarrassments, that it is doubtful whether even this scheme will be adopted.

BRIGADIER GENERALS. On the 20th January the President nominated Dix Buchanan and Gillem to be Brigadier Generals in the regular army, in place of Gen. Hooker retired and Gen. Rousseau, deceased. We suppose they will not be confirmed, as there are propositions to reduce the army and the number of General officers.

STATE ITEMS.

The *Guard* reports an affray at Eugene between Zack Moore and J. J. Patton, in which the latter received a very dangerous wound in the right side from an ax in the hands of the former. It is feared the wound will prove fatal.

A man named J. R. Butler in Polk county was very badly hurt last week by the fall of a limb from a tree which he was cutting down. His face was cut in frightful manner and several of his teeth knocked out.

Says the Eugene *Journal*: "There is now prevailing a disease at present in the vicinity of Eugene City, which has proved fatal in several cases, seeming to be something like a spotted fever. We are not informed of the nature of the disease, but hear that three persons have died with it in one day in that neighborhood."

The Boston *Post* says the Springfield *Republican* is so non-partisan that it is usually by no means recognized as a Democratic paper outside of Massachusetts.

"There never lived a man who was honorized," says an exchange, "that it did not spoil." That editor certainly forgot the prophet Daniel.

Some of the newspapers are recommending the abolition of the two commissions of Brigadier-General, which are now vacant in the army list. The first of these vacancies was caused by the retirement of Gen Hooker from active service; the second by the death of Gen. Rousseau. If these places should be left untilled, we should still have eight Brigadier Generals. That is a very respectable number, and we dare say the country could get along very well without any more. The saving to the treasury would be some $12,000 a year.

We find an extraordinary statement floating in the Southern papers to the effect that two recent negroes, between 120 and 130, or thereabouts, neither of whom was a body servant to Washington, died recently of extreme old age. We can credit the age, but we doubt the rest of the story. Every old negro who has died within the last twenty years was Washington's body servant.

The bequeathments of George Peabody amount to $7,750,000 in gold. This comprises a gift of $1,750,000 to the poor of London, $1,000,000 to the Baltimore institute, $2,000,000 for education to black and whites in the South, $2,000,000 to members of his family, and sums ranging from $1,000 to $250,000 to museums and colleges. He expended $1,000,000 on a memorial church to be in three.

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THERE WILL BE A MEETING OF THE CREDITORS of J. Levy, bankrupt, at the office of W. Lair Hill, Esq., in the city of Portland, on the 20th day of February, inst., at 10 o'clock, A. M.

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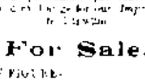

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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, FEB 10, 1869.

A Peace Measure

The editor of the *Herald* has written an article against the proposed suffrage amendment. If the weight of the argument were in any sort of proportion to the length of the article the editor's effort might produce very considerable effect, but its tedious length is its only prominent feature. We observe that the objections urged against the proposed amendment are precisely the same which were urged five years ago against the abolition of slavery. First, we are informed that the white and colored races "are not homogeneous, and can never properly assimilate and harmonize in social relations." Nobody expects or desires them so to assimilate. All white men are politically equal, yet there are large classes of white people who do not and never can "harmonize in social relations." The editor of the *Herald* sagely tells us that "it is folly for man to attempt an improvement upon the Creator's works or to attempt to harmonize and unite that which the Creator intended to remain separate." We never learned, except from Democratic oracles, that there was any want of harmony in the Creator's works. Nor have we ever heard from any other source that the Creator intended the different races of men to remain in a condition of isolation and hold no communication with each other. In short, we gravely doubt whether Democratic politicians are the persons who have the exclusive right and authority to declare the Creator's intentions. Five years ago these prophetical doctors of politics were telling us that to abolish slavery would be to throw into disorder the beautiful system established by the Creator; that it was madness "to attempt an improvement upon the Creator's works," and that the Almighty *intended* the system advocated and upheld by the Democratic party to stand. It was gross impiety, in their opinion to disturb the relations of the races and "abolish the work of the Creator." And we were told, furthermore, that abolition would lead immediately to social equality, and when the negroes should become free the country would become "mongrelized." Then to clinch the argument we were told again what the "Creator intended." Declarations of this sort, being absolutely blasphemous, have the advantage of immunity from ridicule.

As a second argument, we are told that the adoption of the suffrage amendment "would reduce us to the deplorable condition of mongrel Mexico." Again the very words which were used against emancipation five years ago. Although the editor of the *Herald* had just told us that the two races could "never assimilate or harmonize in social relations," he says under the next head that "social equality must necessarily follow political equality." The editor's mind is evidently in a bad state. There is a great black phantom before his eyes which prevent him from seeing anything in a true or consistent light. From whatever point of view he attempts to consider any political subject, he sees nothing but "nigger equality." This has been the misfortune of his whole party for the last ten years. Yet in point of fact, "nigger equality" is as far off as it was ten years, or one hundred years ago.

The third objection urged is that the suffrage amendment would be an act of "usurpation." It is peculiarly a Democratic doctrine

Mr Lincoln's Assassins

The confessions of two of the persons who were engaged in the assassination of President Lincoln were lately given to the [illegible] and appear in our columns to-day. John Surratt is clearly indicated as one of the chief conspirators. But by reason of Andrew Johnson's lenity toward rebels and assassins, Surratt goes clear. Finding security under the last amnesty proclamation, he has been a lion in Washington, Baltimore and New York, and taunts us in the faces of an outraged people his bosom of the part he plays in the crime by which Andrew Johnson was made President. Mudd has lately been released by this Executive, and it is announced that Arnold, who according to his own confession was engaged in the conspiracy will soon have a pardon. Johnson wants to finish the job of "making treason odious" before his retirement from office.

It is clear that if the assassins who were executed had been spared until Andrew Johnson's apostasy had been fully developed, they also would have gone free. He now gives up Mrs Surratt's body to her friends. There was no reason why he should not have given it to them immediately after her execution. But does any one suppose that if he had it to do over again he would allow her to be hanged? On the morning of the execution at the early hour of three o'clock Judge Wylie, of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, granted a writ of *habeas corpus*, directed to General Hancock, then military commander at Washington, commanding him to bring into Court the body of Mary E. Surratt. General Hancock referred the matter to the President, and returned answer to Judge Wylie that he "did not produce said body by reason of the order of the President of the United States endorsed upon the writ, to which reference is hereby respectfully made." The indorsement was as follows.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,
July 7, 1865, 11 o'clock, A. M.

To Major General W. S. Hancock, Commander, etc.: I, Andrew Johnson, President of the United States, do hereby declare that the writ of *habeas corpus* has been heretofore suspended in such cases as this, and I do hereby suspend this writ, and *direct that you proceed to execute the order heretofore given* upon the judgment of Military Commission, and you will give this order in return to this writ. ANDREW JOHNSON, President.

A great ado has been and is still made because this woman was hanged. We have reproduced the above that our readers may not forget who was her executioner. Andrew Johnson is just about to retire from office. what revenge will John Surratt take upon him for hanging his mother?

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There is evidently a sincere desire in Congress to respond to the popular call for economy and retrenchment. During the session thus far, that body has shown a great unwillingness to consider any scheme which would impose additional burdens on the Treasury. Says a Washington letter: "Everything of this character so far, has failed in both Houses. Witness the recommittal of the Sue Murphy claim, not because it was of much importance in itself, but because it opened the doors of the Treasury for hundreds of millions of the same character; witness the defeat of the Niagara Ship Canal bill, with a clear majority believing the enterprise right and wishing it success, only because it took twelve millions from the Government; witness the defeat of all territorial bills and schemes that ask for more money than they propose to return, the evident reluctance to increase the tariff; the

INTERESTING HISTORY

Beriah Brown and the "Herald."

The first charges are the material [illegible] of an article in Beriah Brown's new paper, the *Democratic Press*, entitled "My Connection with the *Herald*."

The paper was started in March, 1857, by Mr. Abbott, on money then [illegible] by Beriah Brown. Mr. Abbott was [illegible] paper, and Mr. Brown was [illegible] week. [illegible] the [illegible] expenses of [illegible] the [illegible] crime by which Andrew Johnson was made President. Mudd has lately been released by this Executive, and it is announced that Arnold, who according to his own confession was engaged in the conspiracy will soon have a pardon. Johnson wants to finish the job of "making treason odious" before his retirement from office.

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By Overland Telegraph

DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.

DATES TO FEBRUARY 8.

From Cuba.

HAVANA, Feb 5.—A band of insurgents, numbering [illegible] made their appearance on the line of the railroad between Cienfugos and Villa Clara. A [illegible] troops marched against them. A panic prevails in Cienfugos. Many families have fled from the town, fearing the insurrection will spread to that district. They have arrived in this city.

Fort Cabanas, which guards the place, is garrisoned only by a battalion of volunteers. A force of regulars has been dispatched to reinforce them.

The *Diario*, in its accounts of the outbreak at Harmeroos, says the first act of the rebels was to destroy the section of railroad between Cienfugos and Villa Clara. That paper acknowledges the situation in this district as grave.

Much excitement is created in Havana, by versions more or less exaggerated as to the events of the central department.

The approaches of the rebels to the vicinity of Cienfugos, which is the centre of a large planting district, is expected to cause a rise in the sugar market.

Several attempts at revolution had been made in the Vuelta Arajo region and the First and Fifth battalions of volunteers are under orders to proceed to that point and prevent a renewal of disorders.

Stragglers continue to arrive at various points on the coast, *it is supposed with the intention* of joining the revolutionists. Many are arrested on suspicion.

The government has chartered several steamers and are preparing some men *of war and light* draft steam launches to range about the Keys and prevent the disembarkment of an expedition from Nassau. When that is accomplished the flotilla will proceed to attack the earthworks which the insurgents threw up lately.

The Laguanja rebels recently assembled at Manzanne to the number of 500. They were attacked by the troops and, according to official reports, were defeated, losing all their arms, ammunition and eleven prisoners.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

LONDON, Feb. 8.—Advices from Athens are contradictory. It is now said the new cabinet, under Seams, is firmly for peace, which is thereby secured.

The reported battle between the Turks and Montenegrams is denied.

The *Standard* predicts that the Alabama treaty will be rejected by the United States, and is sure the next administration will not get such favorable terms of the settlement of the question.

PARIS, Feb 8.—A dispatch from Athens says King George declares that Greece must either accept the protocol or receive his resignation of the Crown.

MADRID, Feb. 8.—Exciting rumors were in circulation all day in regard to the movements of the Carlists. One, that the Carlists attacked San Antonio, in the Provinces of Santando, and were repulsed after a sharp fight.

Very Sensible Advice.

There are some men of reason and sense among the leaders of the late rebellion. A. G. Brown, of Mississippi, is one. He was an original secessionist, carrying the theories of the Democratic party to their furthest logical extreme. He has been Governor of his State, a member of Congress, and a United States Senator. At the beginning of the rebellion he was Jeff. Davis' colleague in the Senate, and was a rebel Senator during the war. Unlike many of his associates in rebellion, he has never forgotten which was the victorious and which the defeated party in the late struggle; and he has recently written a very sensible letter of advice to some of his Southern friends, urging upon them the necessity of a change of policy. Absolute submission to reconstruction, he tells them, is what they must come to. We give some extracts from the letter:

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